PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF CARROLLTON TO ADOPT REQUESTED STATEWIDE WATER USE RESTRICTIONS EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2003

Effective Sunday, June 1, 2003, the City of Carrollton will revise its mandatory outdoor water use restrictions as per statewide minimum year round conservation-based outdoor water use restrictions requested by the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (GA EPD).

- Odd-numbered addresses can water on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays (no hourly limits).
- Even-numbered addresses can water on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays (no hourly limits).

First time violators are subject to misdemeanor penalties as provided for by the City charter. Second time violators are subject to misdemeanor penalties and termination of water services by removal of the water meter. Warnings may be issued to violators for the first days of the restrictions, but afterwards citations will be issued and water service discontinued.

This action is being taken in concert with the Board of Natural Resources' March 26, 2003 adoption of a statewide drought management plan. That drought plan includes a set of outdoor water use restrictions to be implemented during non-drought periods. The City of Carrollton is adopting these requested restrictions, which are very similar to our current odd/even restrictions, to give the public time to get used them prior to GA EPD mandating these minimum year round restrictions statewide. After a period of voluntary implementation of these measures by water systems, the GA EPD will mandate water systems' compliance with the aforementioned restrictions.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the Water Department at 770-830-2000 or the Water Treatment Plant at 770-830-2021.

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